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TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

GEORGE O. CARLETON ROBERT C. MASON
FRANCIS C. REAGAN

Town Treasurer

WINTHROP B. WOOD

Town Clerk

GEORGE D. KITTREDGE

Overseer of the Poor

WINTHROP B. WOOD

Trustees of the Trust Funds

FERDINAND STUCKLEN
WALTER N. THOMPSON
WINTHROP B. WOOD

Cemetery Trustees

WINTHROP B. WOOD W. GUILD SMITH
PERCY G. LEONARD

Library Trustees

CATHERINE MORGAN ALICE CHISHOLM
GLADYS A. GOODWIN

Firewards

GEORGE O. CARLETON W. GUILD SMITH
HAROLD L. STRONCER

Auditors

ALBERT B. LAMSON ROGER CROUCH

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Mont Vernon in the
County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified
to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Mont Vernon on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen and Treasurer to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

4. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired through Tax Collector's deeds.

5. To see if the Town will vote to accept Town Road Aid for construction for Class 5 roads, and raise and appropriate for said purpose the sum of \$553.62. (State will add \$3690.78.)

6. To see if the Town will vote to rent the Town Hall to the Prospect Grange for an annual rental of \$75.00, for not more than twenty-four regular meetings per year; this rental schedule to remain in force for an indeterminate period but may be terminated at any time by the Town or by the Prospect Grange.

7. To see if the Town will vote to convene the annual Town Meeting at 7:00 o'clock p. m. as an evening meeting in lieu of the day meeting presently held; and any existing Blue Laws or Town Ordinances be chang-

ed, if necessary, to correspond with the result of this vote. (By petition.)

8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to appoint a Zoning Commission of five members, with duties as set forth in Chapter 51, Sections 50-71, Revised Laws of New Hampshire, 1942, as amended by Chapters 110 and 278, Laws of New Hampshire, 1949, to study and recommend to a special town meeting the boundaries for zoning districts and appropriate regulations to be enforced therein. Such commission to make a preliminary report of its recommendations and hold public hearings thereon. The report and recommendations of the Zoning Commission shall be published in full in the warrant calling for the special town meeting at which action on the proposed zoning ordinance will be taken. (By petition.)

9. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 20th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-two.

GEORGE O. CARLETON,
ROBERT C. MASON,
FRANCIS C. REAGAN,
Selectmen of Mont Vernon.

BUDGET

	Actual 1951	Estimated 1952
General government	\$ 2363 62	\$ 2300 00
Protection of persons and property	1491 37	1200 00
Maintenance of town roads	2093 40	2000 00
Tar treatment of town roads	1900 00	1000 00
Town lighting	599 51	650 00
General expense highway dept.	225 48	400 00
Library	300 00	300 00
Parks and playgrounds, lettering monument	525 00	150 00
Cemetery	785 11	200 00
Unclassified	152 67	400 00
Interest	453 69	400 00
Payment on principal of debt	2000 00	2000 00
Merrimack Valley Association	50 00	50 00
Health	26 75	100 00
Patriotic purposes	52 01	75 00
Care of poor and old age assistance	688 51	750 00
Snow removal	1550 78	1500 00
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	\$15,257 90	\$13,475 00

APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1951

General government	\$2000 00
Protection of persons and property	1200 00
Maintenance of town roads	2000 00
Tar treatment of roads	1000 00
Town lighting	650 00
General expense of highway department	400 00
Library	300 00
Parks and playgrounds	150 00
Cemetery	200 00

Unclassified	400 00
Interest	400 00
Payment on principal of debt	2000 00
Merrimack Valley Association	50 00
Health	100 00
Patriotic purposes	75 00
Care of poor and old age assistance	900 00
Snow removal	1500 00
Outlay for new construction, T.R.A.	553 70
Civil defense	100 00
Lettering monument	400 00
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	\$14,378 70

INVENTORY OF MONT VERNON FOR 1951

Land and buildings	\$519,905 00
Electric light equipment	30,523 00
Horses	1,550 00
Cows	18,415 00
Neat stock	350 00
Sheep and goats	600 00
Fowls	22,234 00
Portable mills	300 00
Gasoline pumps and tanks	400 00
Stock in trade	1,800 00
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	\$596,077 00

Exemption to Veterans	\$16,550 00
Exemption on growing wood and timber	19,205 00

AMOUNT OF TAXES AND RATE

Total taxes committed to collector	\$30,798 77
Town rate, \$1.90 per \$100.00 valuation	
School District rate, \$3.41 per \$100.00 valuation	
Total rate, \$5.31 per \$100.00 valuation	

BALANCE SHEET

ASSETS

Cash in Souhegan National Bank	\$2116 15
Bounties due from State	5 00
Uncollected taxes	4257 34
Uncollected head taxes	40 00

 \$ 6,418 49

Excess of liabilities over assets	13,611 84
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Grand Total	<hr/> \$20,030 33
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LIABILITIES

Unexpended balance, civil defense	\$ 100 00
Unexpended balance, cemetery	200 00
Uncollected head taxes	40 00

Due School District:

Balance of appropriation	7235 44
Unexpended bal. in State Treasury, T.R.A.	485 59
Unexpended bal. in Town Treasury, gas tax	1469 30
Serial notes, Souhegan National Bank:	
Highway equipment note	1000 00
Town building notes	9500 00

 \$20,030 33

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town hall, land and buildings	\$10,000 00
Furniture and equipment	200 00
Library	7,000 00
Town garage and fire station	14,000 00
Fire department equipment	3,000 00
Park	1,000 00
Highway department, equipment	8,000 00
School, land and buildings	10,000 00
Equipment	1,000 00
Land acquired by Tax Collector's deeds	25 00
Land acquired by warrantee deed	150 00
	\$54,375 00

STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT

TOWN OF MONT VERNON

December 31, 1951

Showing Annual Maturities of Outstanding

Long Term Notes
Town Building Construction
Serial Notes — 1½% and 2%
Highway Equipment
Serial Notes — 1½%

Maturities	Original Amt. \$13,500.00	Original Amt. \$5,000.00	Total Annual Maturities
1952	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$2,000.00
1953	2,000.00		2,000.00
1954	2,000.00		2,000.00
1955	2,000.00		2,000.00
1956	1,500.00		1,500.00
1957	1,000.00		1,000.00
TOTAL	\$9,500.00	\$1,000.00	\$10,500.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Auto Tax Account:

Paid Town Treasurer:

1950 permits	\$ 18 03	
1951 permits	788 17	
	-----	\$806 20

Dogs Licensed:

Paid Town Treasurer, 4 males, 1950 license 4 68

Town Officer Filing Fees:

Paid Town Treasurer, 1951 Filing fees 10 00

Total paid Town Treasurer \$820 88

(NATHANIEL F. HOOPER, Town Clerk.)

Auto Tax Account:

Paid Town Treasurer, 1951 permits \$791 70

Dogs Licensed:

1950, Male, 1	\$ 2 00
1951, Males, 44	87 68
Females, 16	80 00
Spayed, 31	59 17
Kennels, 2	24 00

Paid Town Treasurer ----- 252 85

Town Histories Sold: 2

Paid Town Treasurer 5 00

Total paid Town Treasurer ----- \$1049 55

Grand Total paid Town Treasurer by
the Office of Town Clerk \$1870 43

GEORGE D. KITTREDGE,
Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
Mont Vernon, N. H.

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
PROPERTY, POLL AND YIELD TAXES
LEVY OF 1951

Dr.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

Property	\$30,415 97
Poll	374 00
National Bank Stock tax	8 80
Total Warrant	-----\$30,798 77
Yield Taxes	672 71
Added Taxes:	
Property	95 58
Poll	16 00
Interest Collected	91
Total Debits	-----\$31,583 97

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:

Property	\$26,382 70
Poll	332 00
National Bank	8 80
Yield	505 88
Interest	91
	-----\$27,230 29
Abatements:	
Property	\$74 34
Polls	22 00
	-----96 34

Uncollected as per Collector's List:

Property	\$4054 51
Poll	36 00
Yield	166 83
	-----4,257 34
Total Credits	-----\$31,583 97

LEVY OF 1950

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of Jan. 1, 1951:

Property	\$1782 17
Poll	68 00
Added Poll Taxes	8 00
Interest Collected during fiscal year ended Dec. 31, 1951	48 37

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\$1906 54Remittances to Treasurer during
fiscal year ended Dec. 31, 1951:

Property	\$1782 17
Poll	68 00
Interest	48 37
Abatements	8 00
	<hr/> \$1906 54

LEVY OF 1949

Dr.

Polls uncollected as of Jan. 1, 1951

\$6 00

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer during
fiscal year ended Dec. 31, 1951

\$6 00

REDEMPTION

LEVY OF 1948

Property Tax and Interest

\$39 10

STATE HEAD TAX

LEVY OF 1951

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:

Warrant	\$1195 00
Penalties	1 50
	<hr/> \$1196 50

Remittances to Treasurer:

Head Taxes	\$1150 00
Penalties	1 50
Uncollected as per Collector's List:	40 00
	<hr/> \$1196 50

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1951	\$ 664 50
From State:	
Timber tax	1,382 61
Interest and dividends tax	2,512 42
Savings bank tax	92 97
Railroad tax	2 54
Gas tax	1,469 30
Forest fire rebate	275 16
Hedgehog bounties	5 00
Rental town building	112 50
Rental town hall	91 55
Loan Souhegan National Bank	13,000 00
Rebate interest Souhegan National Bank	1 66
Trustee of trust funds (Cemetery trust)	785 11
Plowing of driveways	85 00
Town history sold	7 50
From Town Clerk:	
Dog tax	269 53
Auto tax 1950	18 03
Auto tax 1951	1,583 43
Filing fees	10 00
Rental of bulldozer:	
F. C. Reagan	6 50
W. G. Smith	27 50
J. Crosby	13 00
C. Bardwell	9 75
H. Stroncer	58 50
M. Stover	29 25
A. Trow	32 50
Rental of grader, Town of New Boston	27 50
From Tax Collector	30,434 77
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	\$53,008 08

EXPENSES

Selectmen's Orders	\$50,891 93
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1951	2,116 15
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	\$53,008 08

WINTHROP B. WOOD,
Treasurer.

RECEIPTS

From Local Taxes:

Property taxes, current year collected	\$26,457 04	
Poll taxes, current year, collected	354 00	
National bank stock tax	8 80	
Taxes previous years collected	1,782 17	
Poll taxes	82 00	
Yield tax	505 88	
State Head tax	1,155 00	
Taxes redeemed	39 10	
Interest	49 28	
Penalties on Head taxes	1 50	
	-----	\$30,434 77

From State:

Gasoline tax	\$1,469 30	
Interest and dividends tax	2,512 42	
Railroad tax	2 54	
Savings bank tax	92 97	
Bounties	5 00	
Forest fire rebates	275 16	
Reimbursement on wood and timber	1,382 61	
	-----	5,740 00

From Local Sources**Except Taxes:**

Dog licenses	\$ 269 53
Rent of town hall	91 55
Rent of town building	112 50
Auto permits	1,601 46
Temporary loans	13,000 00
Filing fees, town officers	10 00
Rental of bulldozer and grader	204 50
Plowing driveways	85 00
Town histories sold	7 50
Interest rebate	1 66

Trustee of trust funds (cemetery)	785 11	
	-----	16,168 81
Total Receipts from All Sources		\$52,343 58
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1951		664 50

Grand Total		\$53,008 08

PAYMENTS

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$861 63	
Town officers' expenses	842 49	
Election and registration expenses	103 75	
Town building expenses	555 75	
	-----	\$2,363 62

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	\$ 33 47	
Fire department	1452 90	
Bounties	5 00	
	-----	1,491 37

Health:

Health department	\$10 00	
Vital statistics	16 75	
	-----	26 75

Highways:

Town maintenance and snow removal	\$3644 18	
T. R. A. paid State	553 70	
Lighting	599 51	
General expense highway dept.	225 48	
Income taxes, withheld	7 10	
To State on acct. 1951 tarring	1900 00	
	-----	6,929 97

Charities

Old age assistance	688 51
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Library:

Catherine Morgan, treasurer	300 00
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Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day		52 01
Parks and Playgrounds:		
Care of park, lettering monument		525 00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemetery		785 11
Unclassified:		
Tax title bought	\$ 35 17	
Abatements and refund	117 50	
Merrimack Valley Region		
Association, dues	50 00	
	-----	202 67
Interest:		
Interest paid		453 69
Payment on Temporary Loans:		
Souhegan National Bank		14,000 00
Payment on Long Term Notes:		
Souhegan National Bank		2,000 00
Payment to other Gov. Divisions:		
State head tax, pd. State Treas.	\$ 1,133 37	
County tax	3,258 42	
Schools	16,681 44	
	-----	21,073 23
Total Payments		\$50,891 93
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1951		2,116 15
Grand Total		\$53,008 08

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

General Government:

Town Officers' Salaries:

George O. Carleton, selectman	\$150 00	
Robert C. Mason, selectman	125 00	
Francis C. Reagan, selectman	125 00	
Winthrop B. Wood, treasurer	50 00	
Winthrop B. Wood, overseer	25 00	
George D. Kittredge, town clerk	40 00	
Mabel E. Leonard, tax collector	326 63	
Albert B. Lamson, auditor	10 00	
Roger W. Crouch, auditor	10 00	
	-----	\$861 63

Town Officers' Expenses:

Assoc. N. H. Assessors, dues	\$ 2 00	
Frank Blanchard, postage	3 99	
Brown & Saltmarsh Inc., supplies	101 83	
N. F. Hooper Estate, auto permits, dog licenses	62 86	
Rodney Woodman, flowers, N. F. Hooper	10 00	
Donat Corriveau, reg. of deeds	12 32	
Edward Flanagan, probate court record	20	
James Welch, adding machine	100 00	
Wheeler & Clark, dog tags, license book	9 40	
Windsor Embassy, supplies	8 50	
Geo. Kittredge, justice peace fee	10 00	
J. P. Melzer Est., dog notices	2 00	
Cabinet Press, poll tax forms	22 83	
N. H. Tax Collectors' Assoc., dues	3 00	
Mabel Leonard, cost of tax sale	3 12	
The Auto & Truck Guide	6 00	
F. C. Reagan, postage	2 33	
G. D. Kittredge, postage	3 75	
G. O. Carleton, postage	8 36	

G. D. Kittredge, auto permits	110 30	
W. B. Wood, postage	9 75	
Cabinet Press, town reports	349 95	
	-----	\$842 49

Election and Registration Expenses:

Cabinet Press, ballots	\$15 75	
Florence Blanchard, ballot clerk	5 00	
Annie Adams, ballot clerk	5 00	
Mae Reagan, ballot clerk	5 00	
Bessie Carleton, ballot clerk	5 00	
Ruth Carey, stenographer	10 00	
Roger Crouch, moderator	10 00	
Albert Lamson, supervisor	18 00	
Catherine Morgan, supervisor	15 00	
John Morris, supervisor	6 00	
George D. Kittredge, supervisor	9 00	
	-----	\$103 75

Town Building Expenses:

Walter Solovei, repairs, wood, supplies	\$182 10	
Public Service Co.	59 42	
Daniels Service Station, fuel oil	203 67	
J. J. Casey, repairs and service	26 78	
Owen Fisk, wiring	40 00	
Rotch Insurance Agency, insurance	18 75	
Walter Solovei, care of clock	25 00	
	-----	\$555 75

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police Department:

William Adams, police work, badge	\$33 47
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Fire Department:

Mass. Bonding & Ins. Co., ins.	\$125 00
Rotch Insurance Agency, insurance	68 00
James A. Coffin, supplies	106 77
Forestry and Recreation Com.	96 51
H. L. Stroncer, forest fire exp.	346 61

Blanchard's Store, supplies	23 88	
Archie's Garage, tires and tubes	80 73	
Robert M. Barss, New Boston		
Fire Dept.	39 30	
Albert B. Lamson, payroll	312 50	
Harold Stroncer, fire chief	50 00	
J. J. Casey, labor and supplies	15 40	
Harold Stroncer, repairs and supplies	63 20	
Harold Trow, custodian	52 10	
Walter Solovei, custodian	72 90	
	-----	\$1,452 90

Bounties:

F. C. Reagan	\$2 25	
R. C. Mason	1 50	
G. O. Carleton	1 25	
	-----	\$5 00

Health:

W. G. Smith, health officer	\$10 00	
G. D. Kittredge, vital statistics	16 75	
	-----	\$26 75

Highways:

W. O. Lamson, road agent	\$2093 40	
W. O. Lamson, snow removal	1550 78	
General exp., highway department	225 48	
State of N. H., T.R.A. approp.	553 70	
State Highway Dept., 1951		
tarring account	1900 00	
Income taxes, withheld	7 10	
Street lighting	599 51	
	-----	\$6,929 97

Charities:

State of N. H., old age assistance	\$688 51
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Library:

Catherine Morgan, treasurer	\$300 00
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Patriotic Purposes:

Rodney Woodman, plants	\$19 20	
G. D. Kittredge, high school band	15 00	
Manchester-Fitchburg Coach, bus	5 00	
Blanchard's Store, refreshments	4 56	
County Stores, flags	8 25	
	-----	\$52 01

Parks and Playgrounds:

Minot Ross, care of park	\$150 00	
J. Ernest Medlyn, lettering monument	375 00	
	-----	\$525 00

Cemetery:

W. B. Wood, treasurer	\$785 11
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Unclassified:

N. F. Hooper, refund	\$ 13 16	
Mabel Leonard, tax titles bought	35 17	
Mabel Leonard, abatements	104 34	
Merrimack Valley Region Assoc., dues	50 00	
	-----	\$202 67

Interest:

Souhegan National Bank	\$453 69
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Payments on Temporary Loans:

Souhegan National Bank	\$14,000 00
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Payments on Long Term Notes:

Souhegan National Bank	\$2,000 00
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Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

State Treas., Head taxes	\$1133 37	
Treas. Hillsborough County, county tax	3258 42	
	-----	\$4,391 79

Schools:

W. B. Wood, Treasurer		
balance of 1950 approp.	\$ 4,451 44	
W. B. Wood, Treasurer		
on account 1951 approp.	12,230 00	
	-----	\$16,681 44
Total Payments		<hr/> \$50,891 93
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1951		2,116 15
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Grand Total		\$53,008 08

GEORGE O. CARLETON,
 ROBERT C. MASON,
 FRANCIS C. REAGAN,
 Selectmen of Mont Vernon.

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT

Received from town road appropriation	\$2093 40
Received from town for snow removal	\$1550 78

Payments

W. O. Lamson, truck and labor	\$577 35
John Morris, labor	6 40
Blanchard's Store, gas and oil	131 96
R. C. Hazelton, Bendix spring	2 31
George Therrien, spark plugs	3 00
Joseph Carleton, sand and loader	78 00
Robert Mason, labor	6 40
A. B. Lamson, labor	64 20
Welch Service Station, grease	24 50
Morrissey Bros., tractor parts	14 24
Motor Car Supply	15 26
Ray Road Equipment, brooms	6 66
Ace Construction Co., Pre-mix	98 85
Albert Brown, labor	69 80
Jack Salisbury, labor	15 20
Edmund Tower, labor	39 00
Willard Archibald, loader	77 00
Henry Archibald, labor	16 00
Town of Milford, truck and sweeper	75 25
Alwin Carleton, chain saw	75 00
Leslie Tower, labor	30 00
Raymond Barss, labor	4 00
Albert Bouchard, labor	21 00
Richard Bouchard, labor	11 20
George Perron, labor and truck	28 80
Hume Pipe of N. E., concrete pipe	116 00
George Houghton, truck	40 30
George Daniels, truck	80 10
Kenneth Purrington, truck	83 20
Guy Nelson, truck	26 40
Town of New Boston, power grader	15 00
Larry's Welding Shop, welding	10 00
Paul C. Rockwood, gravel	38 80

Daniels Service, fuel oil	8 22
David Tibbetts, labor	16 00
Robert Skinner, labor	15 00
W. O. Mason, power shovel	153 00

\$2093 40

Snow Removal — January and February—1951

W. O. Lamson, truck and labor	\$441 34
Willard Archibald, truck	107 20
Joseph Carleton, sand and loader	148 80
Warren Watts, labor	39 80
Vernon Wilkins, labor	127 00
A. B. Lamson, labor	18 40
John Morris, labor	95 20
Robert Mason, labor	6 40
Willis Maloon, labor	6 40
Southwestern Trans., trucking	1 15
Merrimack Farmers', salt	14 00
R. C. Hazelton, labor on tractor	18 40
Ray Road Equipment, plow blades	35 26
Daniels Service, fuel oil	6 55
Blanchard's Store, gas and oil	9 50
Morrissey Bros., tractor parts	12 69

\$1088 09

Snow Removal — November and December—1951

W. O. Lamson, truck, labor and supplies	\$244 70
A. J. McKay, truck	12 95
C. & W. Heating Co., pipe and fittings	4 09
Blanchard's Store, gas and oil	31 95
Vernon Wilkins, labor	45 00
Norman Watts, labor	29 60
Robert Skinner, labor	7 20
Robert Bly, labor	7 00
Edmund Tower, labor	19 00
Jack Salisbury, labor	12 80
Willis Maloon, labor	6 00

Leslie Tower, labor	14 40
Robert Tower, labor	4 00
Ernest Costello, labor	4 00
Donald Purrington, labor	12 00
Robert Black, labor	8 00
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	\$462 69

REPORT OF CEMETERY TRUSTEES

Receipts

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1951	\$434 71
Town appropriation from Trust Fund	785 11
Interest on bank deposit	4 21
	<hr/> \$1224 06

Expenditures

Walter Solovei, care of cemetery	\$325 00
J. Ernest Medlyn, resetting three stones	21 00
Willard Archibald, partial payment	300 00
Balance on hand Dec. 31, 1951, in bank	578 06
	<hr/> \$1224 06

Carl Bardwell has completed work on the map of the cemetery and has declined to take any compensation for his work. We wish to thank him for his generosity.

We have a contract with Willard Archibald for \$400 for removing the wall between the new and old cemetery and the apple trees and brush, also plowing the area. He wasn't able to complete this work before freezing so that we made a partial payment.

Respectfully submitted,
WINTHROP B. WOOD,
Treasurer.

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Balance in Savings Bank	\$1540 32
U. S. Bonds, 2½	1900 00
U. S. Bonds, 3	500 00
20 shares First National Bank, Boston	1148 50
7 shares N. H. Fire Insurance Co.	323 00
3 shares First National Bank, Boston	127 50
10 shares American Tel. & Tel. Co.	1539 10
2-100 American Tel. & Tel. Co., Deb.	209 36
North Pacific Railway Bond, 4½	1032 88
Kansas City So. Railway, 4	1052 28

Receipts

Bank balance Jan. 1, 1951	\$1540 32	
Interest, Souhegan National Bank	7 76	
Bond and dividend interest and \$300 Perpetual care	579 67	
	-----	\$2127 75

Disbursements

10 shares Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$1539 10	
Deb. Bonds, Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	209 36	
3 shares First Nat'l. Bank, Boston	127 50	
Balance to Jan. 1, 1952	251 79	
	-----	\$2127 75

TOWN TRUST FUND

U. S. Treas. Bond, 2½	\$500 00
Balance in Savings Bank	\$288 99

Receipts

Bank balance Jan. 1, 1951	\$288 99	
Interest, Souhegan National Bank	4 28	
Bond interest	15 11	
U. S. Bonds sold	483 13	
	-----	\$791 51

Disbursements

Box rental	\$ 5 00	
Expense, Bond sale	1 40	
Cash to Town Treasurer	785 11	
	-----	\$791 51

FIDELIA WHIPPLE SHEDD FUND

U. S. "G" Bonds	\$ 200 00
Cons. Edison N. Y., 10 shares preferred	1078 37
Balance in Savings Bank	253 33

Receipts

Bank balance Jan. 1, 1951	\$253 33	
Interest, Souhegan National Bank	3 82	
Bond and dividend interest	55 00	
	-----	\$312 15

KENDALL CEMETERY TRUST

So. Pacific Co., Bonds, 4½	\$999 50
Balance in Savings Bank	103 56

Receipts

Bank balance Jan. 1, 1951	\$103 56	
Interest, Souhegan National Bank	1 36	
Bond interest	45 00	
	-----	\$149 92

Disbursements

Floral expenses	\$ 24 75	
Balance to Jan. 1, 1952	125 17	
	-----	\$149 92

FERDINAND M. STUCKLEN,
Treasurer.

DALAND MEMORIAL LIBRARY

Although we have not added quite as many books in 1951 as last year, we have acquired over 100 new books, which with the restriction on adult fiction from the Bookmobile being somewhat lessened, has made available a reasonable amount of literature for the reading public of Mont Vernon.

The purchase of new books has been made possible by \$50.00 from the Daland Book Fund and from what is left from the inadequate town appropriation after other expenses are taken care of.

Therefore, we are deeply grateful to the following persons for their donations to our shelves: Mrs. Lucia Auryansen, Miss Annie Foster, Mrs. Helen Moore, Mrs. Orie Raymond Bailey, Mrs. Von Weber, Winthrop B. Wood, the Stearns heirs, Mrs. Rene Feys, Miss Jane Conant, Phyllis Carey, Mrs. Bessie Wood, Mrs. Gladys Goodwin and two books given in memory of Mrs. Helen Stearns by Miss Ethel Putnam of Ponemah.

Mrs. Bailey generously augments our list of magazines with the National Geographic, which is greatly enjoyed.

The attractive little Troubadour will be missed, as its publication has been discontinued.

On October 23, the librarian with Mrs. Ross and Mrs. Goodwin attended the Neighborhood Library Meeting at the Wadleigh Memorial Library in Milford, and enjoyed the hospitality and excellent program provided. Fine weather made it possible for a large number of libraries in this section to be represented, and many helpful and interesting suggestions were exchanged. Book reviews of children's and adult books were of interest to all, and an informative talk on Occupational Therapy by Mrs. Olsen of Lyndeborough added much to the general information and enjoyment of a very profitable day.

In 1952, may we be able to give greater service to

those interested in using the facilities which your library has to offer.

Respectfully submitted,
RUTH S. ENDREJAT,
Librarian.

TREASURER'S REPORT
DALAND MEMORIAL LIBRARY—1951-1952

Receipts

Balance on hand	\$ 38 86
Town appropriation	300 00
Daland Fund	50 00
Fines	4 80
Interest at bank	39

Total	\$394 05

Expenditures

Draper Fuel Company, fuel	\$ 44 62
A. L. Keyes Agency, insurance on furniture and fixtures	7 99
Public Service Company	9 61
Lowell News Company, magazines	17 65
Personal Book Shop, books	109 52
Salary	150 00
Balance on hand	54 66

Total	\$394 05

CATHERINE MORGAN,
Treasurer.

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of all town officers and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1951.

ROGER W. CROUCH,
ALBERT B. LAMSON,
Auditors.

MONT VERNON SCHOOL DISTRICT

SCHOOL OFFICERS

	Term Expires
Roger W. Crouch, Chairman	1952
Ross Watts	1953
Mrs. Helen P. Witty, Secretary	1954
Harold C. Bowley	Superintendent
Winthrop B. Wood	Treasurer
Francis C. Reagan	Moderator
William O. Lamson	Clerk
Ross Watts	Truant Officer
Mrs. Ruth Watts	Enumerator
Oscar Burns, M.D.	Medical Inspector
Gloria Rosi, R.N.	School Nurse
Albert Lamson	Auditor
Ferdinand Stucklen	Auditor

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1951-52

Begin	Close
September 5, 1951	December 21, 1951
January 2, 1952	February 15, 1952
February 25, 1952	April 18, 1952
April 29, 1952	Approx. — June 13, 1952

Holidays:

October 18, 19 — Teachers' Convention
 November 22, 23 — Thanksgiving
 April 11 — Good Friday
 April 28 — Fast Day
 May 30 — Memorial Day

SUGGESTED SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1952-53

Begin	Close
September 3, 1952	December 19, 1952
January 5, 1953	February 20, 1953
March 2, 1953	April 24, 1953
May 4, 1953	Approx. — June 15, 1953

Holidays:

October 17 — Teachers' Convention

November 27-28 — Thanksgiving

April 3 — Good Friday

WARRANT FOR ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Mont Vernon qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 11th day of March 1952, at three o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose by ballot a Moderator for the coming year, a Clerk for the ensuing year, a member of the School Board for three years, a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

2. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.

3. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

4. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

5. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town. (Nos. 1-19, 25, 26 of Budget)

6. To see how much money the district will raise

and appropriate for insurance on school property. (No. 20 of Budget)

7. To see how much money the district will raise and appropriate for special repairs and alterations of school buildings and grounds, for new equipment, new construction, and furnishings and replacements. (No. 23 of Budget)

8. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands at said Mont Vernon this 13th day of February, 1952.

ROGER W. CROUCH,
ROSS E. WATTS,
HELEN P. WITTY,
School Board.

BUDGET FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR -- 1952-53

	Working Budget 1951-52	Proposed Budget 1952-53
Administration:		
1. Salaries of district officers	\$ 142.00	\$ 162.00**
2. Superintendent's salary (local share)	150.84	168.00**
3. Tax for state-wide supervision	146.00	134.00**
4. Salaries of other adm. personnel	85.42	94.00**
5. Supplies and adm. expenses	83.52	42.00**
	\$ 607.78	600.00
Instruction:		
6. Teachers' salaries	4,480.00	4,580.00
7. Books and instructional aids	135.00	150.00
8. Scholars' supplies	155.00	200.00
10. Other instructional expenses	45.00	50.00
	4,815.00	4,980.00
Operation of School Plant:		
11. Salary of janitor	300.00	300.00
12. Fuel or heat	700.00	700.00
13. Water, light, janitor exp.	200.00	225.00
	1,200.00	1,225.00
Maintenance of School Plant:		
14. Repairs and replacements	200.00	150.00
Auxiliary Activities:		
15. Health supervision	95.00	100.00
16. Transportation	3,600.00	3,600.00
17. Tuition	5,700.00	6,825.00
18. Special activities	50.00	50.00
	9,445.00	10,575.00

Fixed Charges:

19. Retirement	276.97	276.97	283.24**	283.24
Total Current Expenses (Art. V of Warrant)		<u>\$16,544.75</u>		<u>\$17,813.24</u>
20. Insurance and bonds (Art. VI of Warrant)	150.00	150.00	150.00*	150.00
Capital Outlay:				
22. Additions and improvements	1,164.00			
23. New equipment (Art. VII of Warrant)	50.00	1,214.00	50.00*	50.00
Debt and Interest:				
25. Principal of debt	700.00		700.00	
26. Interest on debt	80.69	780.69	68.46	768.46
Total Amount Required to Meet School Board's Budget		<u>\$18,689.44</u>		<u>\$18,781.70</u>
ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT:				
Balance	323.39		100.00	
Daland Trust	50.00		50.00	
Total Estimated Income		<u>373.39</u>		
Assessment March 1951		18,685.44		150.00
Total Available		<u>\$19,058.83</u>		
		Assessment Needed March 1952		\$18,631.70

ROGER W. CROUCH,
ROSS E. WATTS,
HELEN P. WITTY.

*Special Articles in Warrant
**Statutory Obligations

Note: Numbers at the left agree with forms approved by the State Tax Commission.
Omissions indicate that we do not use that column.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF MONT VERNON SCHOOL BOARD

(For Fiscal Year July 1, 1950 to June 30, 1951)

Total Receipts	\$16,683 96
Total Payments	16,360 57

Cash Balance June 30, 1951	\$ 323 39
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RECEIPTS

Federal Aid:		
National School Lunch	\$	07
State Aid:		
Equalization and General		4,307 66
Local Taxation:		
Current Appropriation		10,451 44
Deficiency Appropriation		730 00
Other Sources:		
Trust Funds	\$ 50 00	
Other Receipts	118 00	
		168 00
Total Receipts from all sources	\$15,657 17	
Cash on hand July 1, 1950	1,026 79	

GRAND TOTAL	\$16,683 96
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PAYMENTS

Administration:

1. Salaries of District Officers:

Roger Crouch, school board	\$20 00
Elma Kittredge, school board	20 00
Ross Watts, school board	20 00
Elma Kittredge, ballot clerk	12 00
Geneva Morris, ballot clerk	3 00
Guild Smith, ballot clerk	3 00
Priscilla Tower, ballot clerk	3 00
Vernon Wilkins, ballot clerk	3 00
Winthrop Wood, treasurer	20 00

Albert Lamson, auditor	2 50	
Ferdinand Stucklen, auditor	2 50	
	-----	\$109 00

2. Superintendent's Salary (local share):

Owen P. Fisk, treasurer, account of Harold C. Bowley	159 80
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3. Tax for State-Wide Supervision:

State Treasurer, \$2 per capita	148 00
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4. Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel:

Ross Watts, truant officer	\$ 5 00	
Ruth Watts, census enumerator	5 00	
Owen P. Fisk, treas., union expenses	84 60	
	-----	94 60

5. Supplies and Expenses:

Office supplies, postage, etc.	\$51 39	
Kittredge and Prescott, drawing lease	5 00	
Owen P. Fisk, treas., union office expenses	11 75	
	-----	68 14

Instruction:

6. Teachers' Salaries:

Marguerite O'Neil	\$2050 00	
Elizabeth Scully	2050 00	
Elsie Wheeler	100 00	
	-----	*4200 00

*This amount includes deductions for:

Blue Cross	\$ 90 00
Income Tax	724 00
Teachers' Insurance	69 84
Retirement	326 03

7. Books and Other Instructional Aids:	41 52
8. Scholars' Supplies (consumed as used)	86 89

10. Other Expenses of Instruction:

(Repair and replacement of maps, reference books, flags, etc.)	24 44
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Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:**11. Janitors' Salaries:**

Philip Jenkins	\$ 80 77	
Vernon Wilkins	219 23	
	-----	300 00

12. Fuel or Heat:	660 56
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13. Water, Light and Janitors' Supplies	250 18
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14. Repairs and Replacements:

C. & W. Heating Co.	\$39 18	
Harry Carpenter	3 50	
Thomas C. Davis	30 50	
Owen P. Fisk	16 00	
Draper Fuel Company	26 60	
Samuel Hanscom	32 60	
	-----	148 38

Auxiliary Activities:**15. Health Supervision:**

Souhegan Nursing Association	\$20 00	
Oscar Burns, M.D.	20 00	
Raymond A. Dyer, supplies	1 60	
	-----	41 60

16. Transportation:

Robert C. Mason	3000 00
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17. Tuition:

Milford School District		
High School	\$4099 45	
Elementary School	946 00	
	-----	5045 45

18. Other Special Activities:	34 24
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Fixed Charges:**19. Retirement:**

N. H. Teachers' Retirement System	\$255	78
Owen P. Fisk, treas., Supt.'s retirement	8	58
	<hr/>	264 36
20. Insurance:		117 00

Capital Outlay:**22. Additions and Improvements to Buildings: ..**

Thomas C. Davis, shingling roof and repairing cupola	760	00
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23. New Equipment:	13	29
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Debt Service:

24. Payment of Principal of Debt:	700	00
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25. Payment of Interest on Debt:	93	12
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TOTAL PAYMENTS	<hr/>	\$16,360 57
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CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

ROGER CROUCH,
ROSS WATTS.
HELEN WITTY,

School Board.

HAROLD C. BOWLEY, Superintendent.
July 10, 1951.

REPORT OF TREASURER

(For the Fiscal Year July 1, 1950 to June 30, 1951)

WINTHROP B. WOOD, Treasurer,

In account with the School District of Mont Vernon
Dr.

Balance as per last report		\$ 1,026 79
Board of Selectmen:		
Current Appropriation	\$10,451 44	
Deficiency Appropriation	730 00	
	-----	11,181 44
State Treasurer:		
Equalization Fund		4,307 66
Federal Aid:		
National School Lunch		.07
Other Sources:		
Income from Trust Funds	\$ 50 00	
Other Income	118 00	
	-----	168 00

		\$16,683 96
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Payments on order of School Board	\$16,360 57	
Cash on hand, June 30, 1951	323 39	

		\$16,683 96

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

(Required by the State Board of Education from
all State Aided Districts)

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Mont Vernon, New Hampshire, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1951, and find them correct in all respects.

FERDINAND M. STUCKLEN,
ALBERT B. LAMSON.

July 16, 1951.

RETURN OF DISTRICT REVENUE, 1951

Expenditures

Current Expenditures	\$16,804 75
Capital Outlay	
Additions and Improve-	
ments to Buildings, and	
New Equipment	1,000 00
Insurance	150 00
Debt and Interest	780 69
Special Appropriations	
Deficiency Appropriation	730 00
Total Appropriation	----- \$19,465 44

Receipts

Trust Funds (Est.)	50 00
Assessment Required to Meet	-----
School District Appropriation	\$19,415 44

ADMINISTRATION

Instruction

Since our last report, there have been no changes in the teaching staff. Mrs. O'Neil and Mrs. Scully continue their work in the two rooms.

In connection with instruction, I wish to call attention to the new set-up with the Souhegan Nursing Association. I feel that we are getting more for our money than we ever did. Our arrangement with the nursing group calls for the assignment of one nurse to do only school work and have other nursing assistance in times of need. This applies to all the towns of this School Union. Up to the present, the arrangement has given good results and promises still better as we get acquainted with the needs and find how much can be done. The nurse is often a teacher, she visits homes and advises, she works with teachers and pupils, she is the center of the Health Program. Her duties are manifold — visiting, examinations, follow-up work, keeping records, first aid. The nurse maintains a liaison service between the school, home and community. She has to call upon many local agencies to meet the health needs of children. I feel satisfied that we are accomplishing most of the aims we set out to reach.

Workshops for teachers are of proven value in improving the quality of instruction. The last Workshop we held in September of this school year was by far the best we have had. The subject was Conservation and the quality of the leadership excellent. The teachers learned so many practical ways of teaching Conservation and now we see pupils doing many of these things. The follow-up is good and the pupils are profiting from it. When spring comes and nature begins to unfold, I am sure we will see more evidences of Conservation teaching. Another feature of this last Workshop was the fact that it was started, arranged

and carried through by a teachers' committee composed largely of interested ones who attended last summer's workshop at Lost River.

The Souhegan National Bank, in one of its paid ads, paid splendid tribute to our teachers as "builders of tomorrow's America." Other organizations and companies join in such tributes. We read their words in magazines and special articles. We appreciate these kind words.

Finance

Below I again acquaint you with some figures to illustrate per pupil costs. Exclusive of Capital Outlay, Debt, Transportation and Tuition, the per pupil costs of Current Expenses for 1950-51 are:

	Grades 1-8	Grades 9-12
Amherst	\$122.68	\$370.20
Brookline	134.92 (1-6 only)	Grades 7-12 in Nashua
Hollis	131.08	268.85
Milford	134.99	277.71
Mont Vernon	206.38 (1-6 only)	Grades 7-12 in Milford
State of N. H.	161.94	271.75

Since tuition rates are developed from these figures, you can ascertain how near or how far you are from State figures. Of course, small enrollments and relatively high costs produce higher averages than the State.

Needs

Since the building was made ready for use, nothing has been done to refinish the floors. They should be sanded and made ready for a floor seal and wax.

I haven't given up on Art. We would like to obtain the services of an Art teacher for one day a week. But that is the difficulty — these teachers seem to be employed full-time already. We were disappointed in two instances last summer and in early fall. As a substitute, some of the teachers took a special Art Course this fall and have but recently had an exhibit showing their

own work as well as work done by their pupils. This has filled the gap very capably. I hope we may have better success in obtaining part-time Art instruction for next year.

The Teacher's Job

A rather exhaustive survey of teachers' time has recently been completed. The report indicates that elementary teachers average 11.9 hours per week in out-of-class instructional duties, 28.3 hours in class instruction and 7.7 hours in miscellaneous duties. Secondary teachers average 13.0 hours, 23.1 hours and 11.9 hours for the same three activities. The totals are 47.9 hours for the elementary teacher and 48.0 hours for the secondary. Of course these results are averages, there being many teachers who work more and some less. It is interesting to note that a 48 hour week for 43 weeks is approximately the same as a 40 hour week for 52 weeks.

Certain criticisms of teachers and education come to mind, that the 3 R's are not being taught. This is no new criticism. In my time it has not been uncommon to pick up a paper and read editorially that children cannot read, write, spell and do figures like they used to twenty years ago. Probably this has occurred once every five years or so in the years since I grew up. But the children of today can do better than those of a past generation. The evidence is very plentiful and conclusive. Probably the best one I know concerns an experiment of giving to Wellesley Junior High pupils of today the same tests given in 1886 to same grade children in Springfield. The latter averaged 29% when they took them 65 years ago while Wellesley pupils averaged 68%. To be sure many children get to high school without full skills in the fundamentals. But the explanation of this lack is not in the teaching but rather in the great change which has occurred in America relative to school attendance. When I went

to high school, only a few attended. Those who couldn't keep up with the fundamentals dropped out. Now almost all the children attend. In 1870 we had 80,000 high students in America, now we have over seven million. The great differences in ability, background and ambitions of all these children of all the people is now very marked. But all this merely points to the teacher's task. We have an alert staff that is trying to meet the needs of every child.

Kiplinger in a recent issue gives some good advice. Teachers want your friendship, your understanding and your help. So, why don't you visit them, get acquainted, find out their problems and not explode because they teach your child by a different method than you were taught, help in some of the projects? I feel sure you will find the results worth your effort.

Appreciation

Again I am grateful to the staff, to the Board and to you citizens for another year of accomplishment. The general cooperation has been good and I appreciate it.

Respectfully,
HAROLD C. BOWLEY,
Superintendent of Schools.

GENERAL STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR 1950-51

Number of different pupils registered during year:	
Boys 22; Girls 10; Total	32
Enrollment by grades: I-8; II-5; III-5;	
IV-7; V-4; VI-3	32
Number non-resident pupils	0
Average membership in school	32.7
Per cent of attendance	96.85
Number not absent or tardy during year	5
Number of sessions	350
Number of School Board meetings	7
Number of visits made by School Board members	2
Number of visits made by Superintendent	47
Number of visits made by citizens	24

TUITION PUPILS — 1950-51

Grade XII: Julius Cers, Dorothy Hartleb.

Grade XI: Ruth Karnis, Ann LaPalm, Robert Nay,
Elsie Salisbury, Lois Trow, Warren Watts.

Grade X: David Clark, Robert Hartleb.

Grade IX: Alwyn Carleton, Marcia Clark, Gordon
Johnstone, Janice Long, Julia Maloon, Seth Pomeroy,
Barbara Raymond, Barbara Robinson, Norman Stron-
cer, Denice Thompson, Joan Weatherley.

Grade VIII: Carole Thompson, Harry Trow, Don-
ald Watts.

Grade VII: Beverly Archibald, Peter Archibald,
Thomas Karnis, Robert Mason, Dale Riley, Jack Salis-
bury, Clifford Stroncer.

TEACHERS AND GRADES TAUGHT (1951-52)

	Experience Here	Total Experience
Mrs. Marguerite O'Neil — Grades 4-6	5	25
Mrs. Elizabeth Scully — Grades 1-3	4	26
Miss Elsie F. Wheeler — Music	18	20

RETURN OF SCHOOL CENSUS
September 1951
 Ruth Watts, Enumerator

Age as of Sept. 1, 1951	Total	Boys	Girls	Number Attending Public School	Number Attending Private School
Under 1	9	4	5		
1	7	3	4		
2	13	3	10		
3	10	9	1		
4	10	3	7		
5	7	4	3	3	
6	8	7	1	8	
7	5	3	2	5	
8	6	2	4	6	
9	7	5	2	7	
10	3	3		3	
11	6	4	2	6	
12	3	3		3	
13	7	5	2	7	
14	5	2	3	4	
15	10	7	3	9	
16	4	3	1	2	
17	3	1	2	3	
18	1	1		1	
Total	124	72	52	67	

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ENROLLMENT TABLE AS OF JANUARY 15, 1952

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Grade I	9						9
Grade II		12					12
Grade III			5				5
Grade IV				7			7
Grade V					8		8
Grade VI						5	5
Total	9	12	5	7	8	5	46
Boys	5	9	1	7	5	3	30
Girls	4	3	4		3	2	16

REPORT OF HEALTH SUPERVISION — 1950-51

Oscar Burns, M.D., School Physician

Virginia Gill, R.N., School Nurse

The total number of children examined 31

The following defects, treatments and corrections
were reported:

	Defects	Pupils Receiving Treatment
Defective Teeth	12	3
Diseased Tonsils	5	
Enlarged Glands	1	1
Orthopedic Defect	4	
Posture Defect	2	

Parents were informed in all of the above cases.

Diseases Reported:

Impetigo	1
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Vital Statistics

Marriages Registered in Town of Mont Vernon, N. H. For the Year Ending December 31, 1951

<i>Date and Place of Marriage</i>	<i>Name and Surname of Groom and Bride</i>	<i>Age</i>	<i>Residence of Each at Time of Marriage</i>
Mar. 1, Mont Vernon	Clyde Addison Depuy	58	Mont Vernon, N. H.
	Mollie Blanche Thayer	58	Mont Vernon, N. H.
Apr. 28, Mont Vernon	Arthur Goodwin	67	Mont Vernon, N. H.
	Gladys Augusta Temple	43	Mont Vernon, N. H.
Aug. 20, Brookline	Paul Edward Fessenden	27	Brookline, N. H.
	Mary Holt Smith	28	Mont Vernon, N. H.
Sept. 22, Nashua	Roland George Smith	24	Weare, N. H.
	Virginia Hartleb	19	Mont Vernon, N. H.
Oct. 6, Manchester	Lee Roger St. Germain	20	Manchester, N. H.
	Roberta Jean Payne	17	Mont Vernon, N. H.
Oct. 20, Milford	Robert Charles Robinson	21	Mont Vernon, N. H.
	Ina May Lockerby	23	Mont Vernon, N. H.
Oct. 20, Mont Vernon	Gilbert Thomas Riley Jr	19	Mont Vernon, N. H.
	Lois Marilyn Long	19	Sandown, N. H.
Nov. 2, Mont Vernon	John Gerard Kelly	53	Townsend, Mass.
	Janet Irene Edmunds	53	Hingham, Mass.

**Births Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon, N. H.
For the Year Ending December 31, 1951**

<i>Date and Place of Birth</i>	<i>Name of Child</i>	<i>Name of Father</i>	<i>Maiden Name of Mother</i>
Feb. 9, Nashua	Christine Mary	George Elwin Byam	Helen Wallace
Feb. 18, Grasmere	Mary Lou	Irving Yount Salisbury	Phyllis Mary Mayhew
Feb. 21, Nashua	Steven Francis	Francis Archibald Ballou	Nancy Jane Powers
Feb. 28, Nashua	Richard Arthur Jr.	Richard Arthur Trow	Evelyn Eileen Kesti
Mar. 8, Nashua	Paul Edward	John Weston Towne	Bernice Ruth Corey
Apr. 10, Concord	Brenda Gail	Shirley Dana Raymond	Thelma Ursula LaToushe
Aug. 8, Nashua	Gale Ellen	Jacob Eugene Crosby	Frances Ann Stevens
Aug. 24, Nashua	Wendy Griffin	Forris Wood Norris	Harriett Gregory
Sept. 27, Nashua	Mark Eugene	Harry Edwin Crosby	Gertrude Anna M. Dettmar
Oct. 6, Nashua	Dana Russell	Edwin Emery Mason	Jennie Maria Greenough
Oct. 7, Manchester	Harry Allen	Walter Guild Smith	Dorothy Mildred Caverly
Nov. 7, Peterboro	Brenda Mae	Donald Chester Cheever	Marcia Jane Hazen

Deaths Registered in the Town of Mont Vernon, N. H. For the Year Ending December 31, 1951

Date and Place of Death	Name and Surname of Deceased	Age	Name of Father	Name of Mother
Feb. 19, Mont Vernon	Charles F. Isola	77	Pietro C. Isola	Helen Farrar
Mar. 11, Mont Vernon	Nathaniel F. Hooper	82	Wallace D. Hooper	Mary H. Appleby
Mar. 18, Milford	George F. Averill	85	George W. Averill	Nancy Lanson
May 18, Milford	Fannie Louis Averill	84	John Carleton	Amanda Wilson
May 30, Mont Vernon	Nellie L. Stearns	76	John Kellogg	Phoebe A. Lewis
Aug. 21, Mont Vernon	George M. Smart	72	Samuel S. Smart	Lena Ellis

Brought Here for Burial

July 5	Grace Conant	86	Salem, Mass.
Aug. 28	Fredrick Lincoln Kittredge	85	Orlando, Florida

Vital Statistics of a town are one of its most important records. If everyone would fully and correctly fill out the records of their own families on Marriage, Birth and Death certificates, the records of this town would be more accurately maintained for future reference.

I hereby certify that the foregoing returns are correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE D. KITTREDGE, Town Clerk.

